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REMINISCENCES OF AN OLD CON-
FEDERATE.

Having read with interest the dis-
cription of the battle of the 18th of July,
1861, my memory carries me back to a
few weeks prior to that time, when be-
ing in the valley of Virginia, I went to
Harper's Ferry to see the Confederate
troops who were then commanded by
Maj. T. J. Jackson. After going through
the different camps, infantry and caval-
ry, and watching with a boy's interest
a zouave drill by the Law Grey Zouaves
of Baltimore in the old armory grounds
near John Brown's fort, I then visited a
house in Bolivar Heights where I met
Capt. W. N. Pendleton, of the Rock-
bridge artillery, who was sitting on the
porch with the men of his company
gathered around him more like chil-
dren than private soldiers.

A few weeks afterwards I was sitting
on a porch in Winchester, Va., and saw
Gen. Jos. E. Johnston's army pass
through that town and noted particu-
larly Gen. T. J. Jackson's brigade, many
of the men whom I knew personally,
especially those of the Second Virginia
regiment, which was made up of com-
panies especially from Clarke, Jefferson
and Frederick. My attention was es-
pecially called again to the Rockbridge
artillery as they passed through with
three little brass pieces belonging to the
V. M. I., and one iron gun which seem-
ed at that time to be huge in compar-
ison with the others. No one seemed
to know whether they were going.

About a week after, on the 18th of
July, I was sent from the county of
Clarke, where I was staying, to Win-
chester, Va., en route for Charlottesville.
The trip had to be made in those days
to Strasburg by stage and from thence
to Staunton, Va., by rail and stage,
thence to Charlottesville by rail. Upon
arriving at Strasburg about 7 o'clock in
the evening I was informed that the
train from Manassas which I was to
take, was over two hours late owing to
a battle. When the train arrived about
half-past ten we were overjoyed to
hear of the gallant fight of the 17th and
especially our Alexandria boys, but
pained to hear of the loss of life as well
as the wounding of Capt. S. W. Prent-
man.

After an uneventful trip I arrived in
Charlottesville on Saturday, the 20th,
to find my pen pals nursing in the hos-
pital and every house in the town
filled with sick soldiers who were cared
for there as well as in the hospitals by
the residents of the city and surround-
ing country. The hospitals not having
been organized, these poor fellows were
cared for by the ladies and gentlemen
who could spare the time, as well as
the physicians of the place. I often
look back with pride at the noble self-
sacrifice of those women who gave
their time and attention day and night
to those boys in grey, most of whom
were from the far south and were
sickened with diseases that we passed
through in this climate in childhood
and to which a number of them suc-
cumbed. Many a poor fellow's last
hours were soothed by the motherly
nursing and prayers of mothers and sis-
ters whose sons and brothers were then
at the front.

On Tuesday following after the bat-
tle of Manassas, the town of Charlottesville
was literally flooded with wounded
men, Confederates and Yankees
alike, and the University building prop-
er as well as the students' rooms were
turned into vast hospitals. To show
how badly help was needed, the writer,
then a boy of 15, went in with the physi-
cians and learned to dress the wound-
ed, in which work he was engaged for
several weeks.

On the 21st of July, 40 years ago last
Sunday, the brigade which I saw pass
through Winchester, commanded by T. J.
Jackson, covered itself with glory
and was baptized that day the Stone-
wall brigade. The Rockbridge Artillery
being at that time attached to it shared
the honor.

In 1864 I had the honor of being en-
rolled as a parade in the above com-
pany which had made a record for it-
self on many a hard fought field, being
then commanded by Capt. Archie Gra-
ham. Capt. Wm. N. Pelton then be-
ing brigadier-general of artillery in
the army of Northern Virginia.

In 1891 I went to Lexington, Va., to
a reunion of my company, the occasion
being the unveiling of Jackson's statue
at that place. There I witnessed and
participated in an event never equalled
in history. The three little brass pieces
that had been used by the battery at
the first battle of Manassas, July 21,
1861, were brought into service that
day to fire a salute at 6 a. m. at the in-
stitute and later in the day at the un-
veiling of the monument where they
were served principally by the same
men of 1861, who fired the salute at the
unveiling.

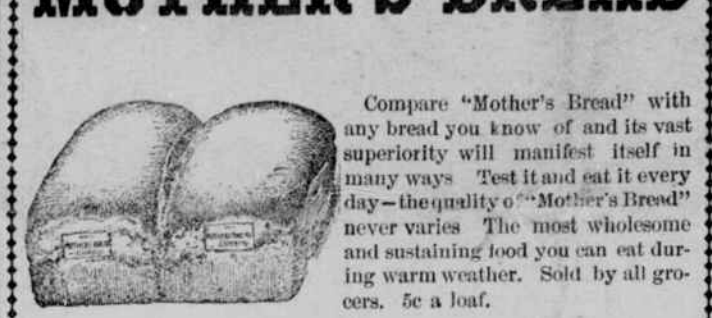
In the history of wars, was there
ever a similar case, where the guns that
helped to make a hero's name were in
after years, when the country for
which he fought was conquered, used
at the unveiling of his monument by
his old soldiers?

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after the war ended.

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Veteran about survivors of the skir-
mish in front of Washington on the
11th of June, 1864:

The regiment in advance that day
was the Sixty-second Virginia Mounted
Infantry, and with it was a section of
McClanahan's Horse Artillery. The
Sixty-second was commanded by Col.
George Smith, one of the most mag-
nificent soldiers in the Confederate
States army, and the battery was com-
manded by the writer. Col. Smith was
a graduate of Virginia Military In-
stitute, and his regiment belonged to In-
dianapolis Brigade. He is now a dis-
tinguished lawyer at Los Angeles, Cal.
This advance guard drove the enemy
into Washington on the Seventh street
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